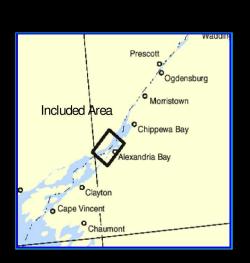
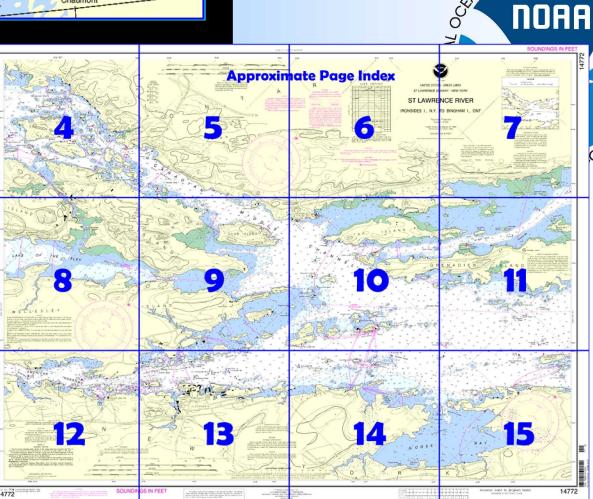
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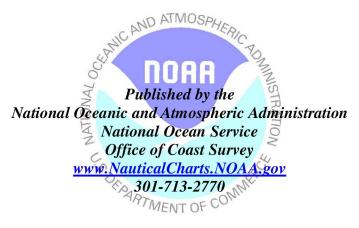
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What is a BookletChart $^{\text{\tiny TM}}$?

This BookletChart is made to help recreational boaters locate themselves on the water. It has been reduced in scale for convenience, but otherwise contains all the information of the full-scale nautical chart. The bar scales have also been reduced, and are accurate when used to measure distances in this BookletChart. See the Note at the bottom of page 5 for the reduction in scale applied to this chart.

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This BookletChart does NOT fulfill chart carriage requirements for regulated commercial vessels under Titles 33 and 44 of the Code of Federal Regulations.

Notice to Mariners Correction Status

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[Coast Pilot 6, Chapter 4 excerpts]

(160) From Lone Brother Island, the vessel route continues SW, between Ironsides Shoal on the NW and Ironsides Island and Inner Ironsides Shoal on the SE, thence SE of Whiskey Island Shoal off the mouth of Goose Bay.

(161) **Goose Bay** is on the SE side of the St. Lawrence River, SE of Whiskey Island Shoal and the upper end of Grenadier Island. The bay is very shallow and has a mud bottom with numerous rocks.

(162) **Canadian Middle Channel** branches W from the main vessel course at Ironsides Island and leads through the Thousand Islands on the Canadian side of the International boundary, thence between Wolfe Island and Howe Island and into Lake Ontario in the vicinity of Kingston, Ont. The channel is marked by lights and buoys.

(163) There is a speed limit of 9.5 knots (10.9 mph) over the ground for

all vessels over 40 feet (12.2 m) in length in the Canadian Middle Channel and adjacent waters.

(164) Above Ironsides Island, Canadian Middle Channel leads past the SW end of Grenadier Island, thence through **Raft Narrows** along the mainland. The main channel through the narrows is crossed by a fixed highway bridge with a clearance of 120 feet. Above the narrows, the channel divides around Wood Island, along the N side upbound and the S side downbound. Thence the channel leads between **Wallace Island** and **Ash Island**, SW past The Navy Islands, Navy Islands, and through the S part of The Lake Fleet Islands Lake Fleet Islands, to a point N of The Punts, thence S of Leek Island and into the deep wide water between Wolfe and Howe Islands.

(165) **Rockport, Ont.**, is a small village on the N side of the river at the E end of Raft Narrows.

(167) **Rockport**, population 149 (1981), is on the Canadian mainland 0.4 mile west of Tar Island light.

(168) Rockport is a **Customs vessel reporting station** for pleasure craft.

(169) A Canadian Coast Guard Inshore Rescue Boat is based at Rockport from the end of May to the beginning of September each year, though these dates are subject to change.

(170) At Rockport, there is an L-shaped **Public wharf** with an outer face 13 m (43 ft) wide and depths in 1995 of 3.9 m (13 ft) at the outer face and 2.9 m (10 ft) on each side. Another **Public wharf**, 30 m (98 ft) long and 6.1 m (20 ft) wide, extends in a SW direction from the south end of the waterfront. There are depths of 2.1 to 2.7 m (7 to 9 ft) at the outer end of this wharf. The deck of this wharf has an elevation of 1.8 m (6 ft). There is a public boat launching ramp at Rockport.

(174) East of Ivy Lea is an L-shaped Public wharf; the outer face is 35 m (115 ft) long with an elevation of 1.5 m (5 ft) and a depth of 0.7 m (2 ft). There is a launching ramp next to the Public wharf.

(175) Ivy Lea is a **Customs vessel reporting station** for pleasure craft. (183) From Whiskey Island Shoal, the main vessel route leads SW between the **Summerland Group** on the NW and the **Excelsior Group** on the SE. **Deer Island,** close SW of the Summerland Group, is marked on the SE side by a light.

(184) Above Deer Island, the vessel route passes the lower end of Wellesley Island and leads SE of the Manhattan Group, Frontenac Shoal, and Pullman Shoal and NW of Sunken Rock Island and Cherry Island.

(186) **Alexandria Bay, N.Y.**, is a summer resort village on the SE side of the river opposite the lower end of Wellesley Island. Wharves at the village are easily approached from the river. **Broadway Shoal**, in the approach to the village, has a depth of 13 feet (4 meters) and is marked by a buoy.

(187) Alexandria Bay is a customs port of entry.

(190) **Alexandria Bay Coast Guard Station** is on the SE side of Wellesley Island about 1,000 feet W of Cherry Island.

(191) Small bays at either end of the village have anchorage for boats drawing 6 to 11 feet (1.8 to 3.4 meters). The 460-foot (140-meter) village dock, about 0.25 statute mile (0.2 nm) NE of Cherry Island, had a reported depth of 7 feet (2.1 meters) alongside in 1977. Marinas at Alexandria Bay provide gasoline, diesel fuel, water, ice, electricity, sewage pump-out, marine supplies, and launching ramps. Mobile lifts to 60 tons and a 15-ton marine railway that can handle 80-foot (24.4 meter) craft are available for hull, engine, and electronic repairs. Machine shops can repair shafts up to 3 inch diameter.

(192) American Narrows (Upper Narrows) separates Wellesley Island from the U.S. mainland for about 6 statute miles (5.2 nm) from Cherry Island SW to the upper end of Wellesley Island. The channel through the narrows is generally deep, has a least width of 450 feet (137 meters), and is well marked by lights and buoys. The channel is bordered throughout its length by small islands and shoals.

(193) The lower entrance to the narrows is marked by a **218**° leading light at the village of Point Vivian, about 1 statute mile (0.9 nm) SW of Cherry Island.

Pump-out facilities

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CAUTION =

Improved channels shown by broken lines are subject to shoaling, particularly at the edges.

RADAR REFLECTORS

Radar reflectors have been placed on many-floating aids to navigation. Individual radar reflector identification on these aids has been omitted from this chart.

CAUTION SUBMARINE PIPELINES AND CABLES

Charted submarine pipelines and submarine cables and submarine pipeline and cable areas

Additional uncharted submarine pipelines and submarine cables may exist within the area of this chart. Not all submarine pipelines and submarine cables are required to be buried, and those that were originally buried may have become exposed. Mariners should use extreme caution when operating vessels in depths of water comparable to their draft in areas where pipelines and cables may exist, and when anchoring, draggling, or trawling. Covered wells may be marked by lighted or unlighted buoys.

CAUTION

Temporary changes or defects in aids to navigation are not indicated on this chart. See Local Notice to Mariners.

During some winter months or when endan-

gered by ice, certain aids to navigation are replaced by other types or removed. For details see U.S. Coast Guard Light List.

POLLUTION REPORTS

Report all spills of oil and hazardous sub-stances to the National Response Center via 1-800-424-8802 (toll free), or to the nearest U.S. Coast Guard facility if telephone communication is impossible (33 CFR 153).

CAUTION

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Limitations on the use of radio signals as aids to marine navigation can be found in the U.S. Coast Guard Light Lists and National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency Publication 117.

Radio direction-finder bearings to commercial—broadcasting stations are subject to error and—should be used with caution.

Station positions are shown thus:

NOAA WEATHER BADIO BROADCASTS

The NOAA Weather Radio station listed below provides continuous weather broadcasts The reception range is typically 20 to 40 nautical miles from the antenna site, but can be as much as 100 nautical miles for stations at high elevations.

Watertown, NY WXN-68 162.475 MHz

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

Consult U.S. Coast Pilot 6 for important supplemental information.

HORIZONTAL DATUM

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The horizontal reference datum of this chart is North American Datum of 1993 (NAD 83), which for charting purposes is considered equivalent to the World Geodetic System 1984 (WGS 84). Geographic positions referred to the North American Datum of 1927 must be corrected an average of 0.162° northward and 1.173° eastward to agree with this chart.

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Vessels operating in fresh water lakes or rivers shall not discharge sewage, or ballast, or bilge water within such areas adjacent to domestic water intakes as are designated by the Commissioner of Food and Drugs (21 CFR 1250.93). Consult U.S. Coast Pilot 6 for important supplemental

CAUTION

Due to periodic high water conditions in the Great Lakes, some features charted as visible at Low Water Datum may be submerged, particularly in the near shore areas. Mariners should proceed with

SOURCE DIAGRAM

Most of the hydrography identified by the letter "I" was surveyed by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers prior to 1974. Channels currently maintained by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers are periodically resurveyed and are not shown on this diagram. Refer to Chapter 1, <u>United States Coast Pilot</u>.

The prudent mariner will not rely solely on any single aid to navigation, particularly on floating aids. See U.S. Coast Guard Light List and U.S. Coast Pilot for details.

CAUTION

SPEED REGULATIONS. See U.S. Rules and Regulations for U.S. waters, 33 CFR Part 401, carried in the Seaway Handbook.

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PLANE OF REFERENCE OF THIS CHART (Low Water Datum). Depths are referred to the sloping surface of the river when Lake Ontario is at elevation 243.3 ft. Referred to mean water level at Rimouski, Quebec, International Great Lakes Datum (1985).

SAILING DIRECTIONS. Bearings of sailing courses are true and distances given thereon are in statute miles between points of departure.

AIDS TO NAVIGATION. Consult U.S. Coast Guard Light List for supplemental information concerning aids to navigation.

SYMBOLS AND ABBREVIATIONS. For complete list of symbols and abbreviations see Chart

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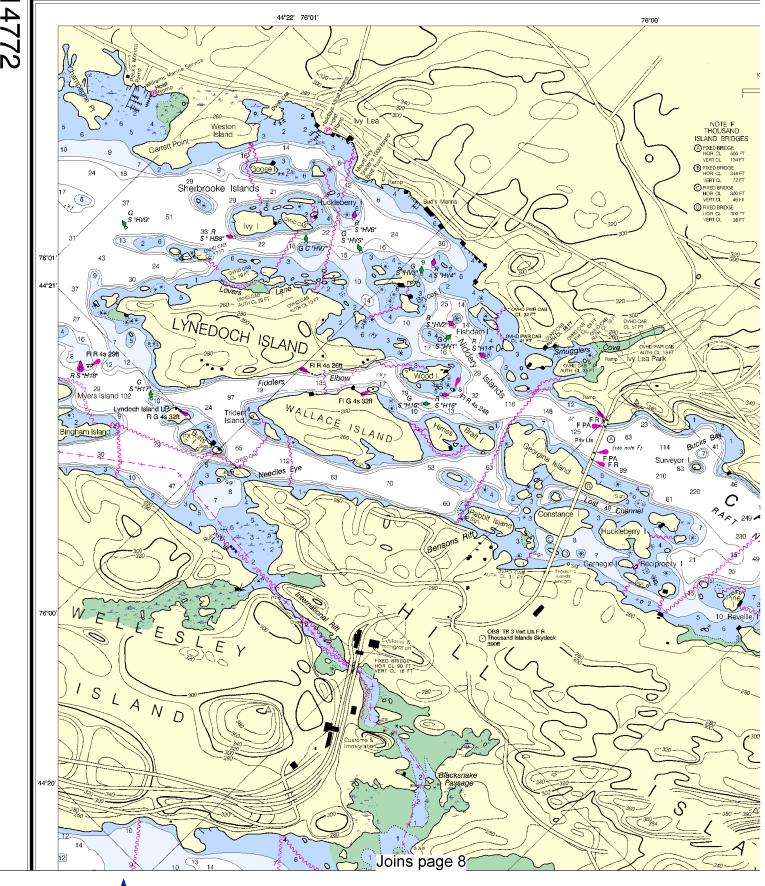
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The improved channels and canals in the deep waterway between the Port of Montreal and Lake Erie are designed for a controlling water depth of 27 feet. The loaded draft and speed of vessels in any part of the deep waterway shall be controlled by the Master according to the vessel's individual characteristics, and its tendency to list or squat, so as not to strike bottom. In the Seaway canals the maximum permitted draft will be currently prescribed by the St. Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation and the St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation

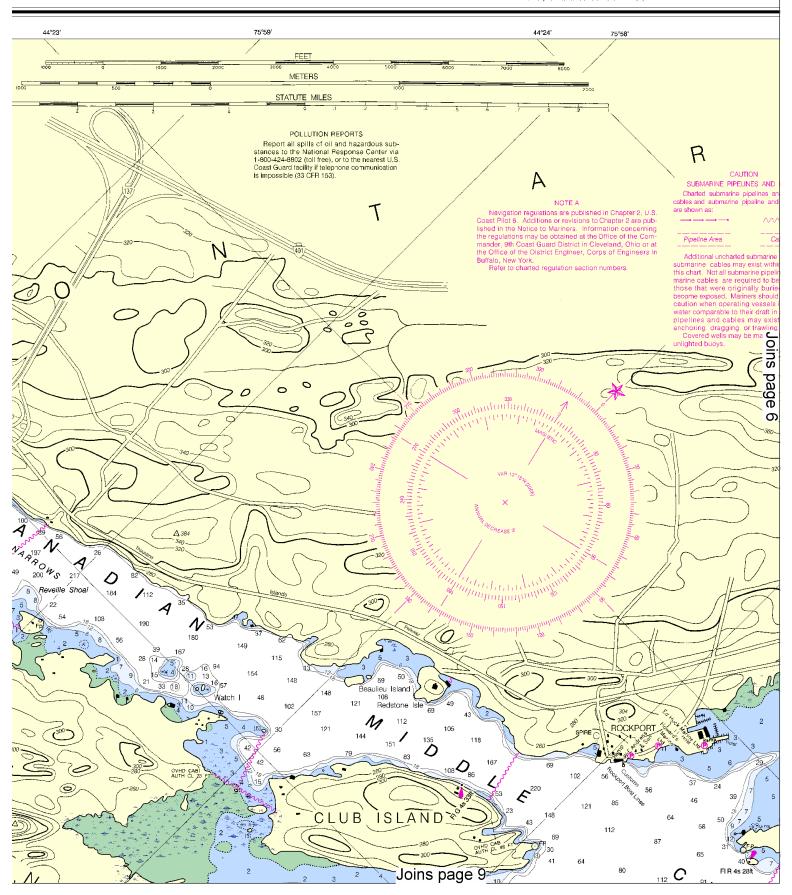
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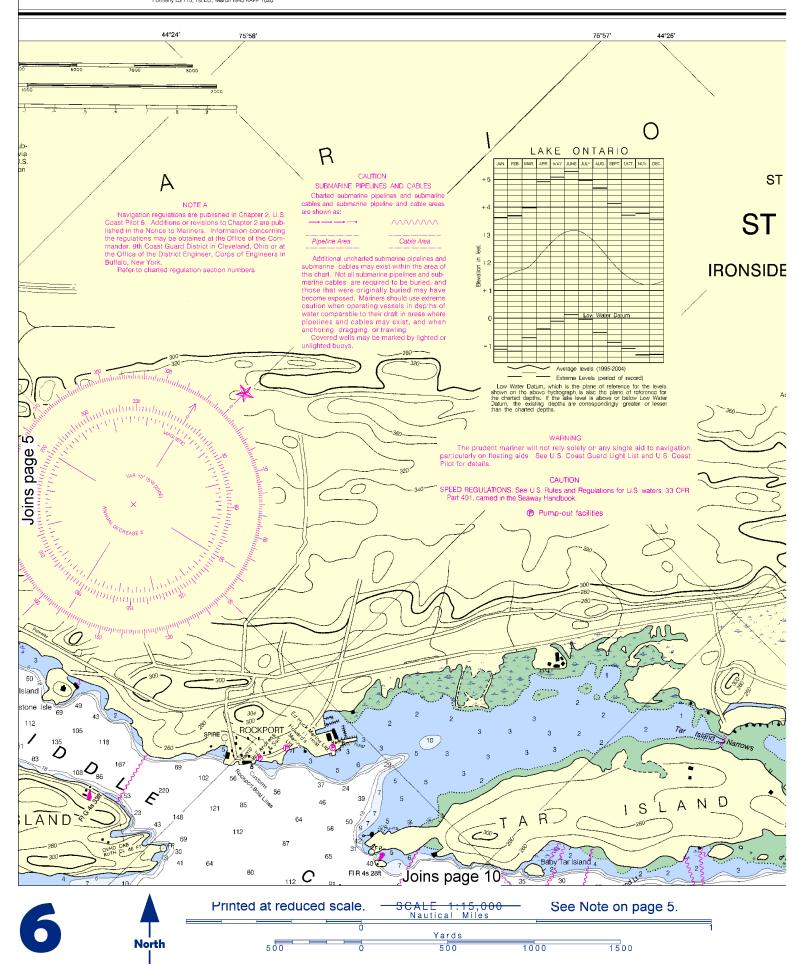


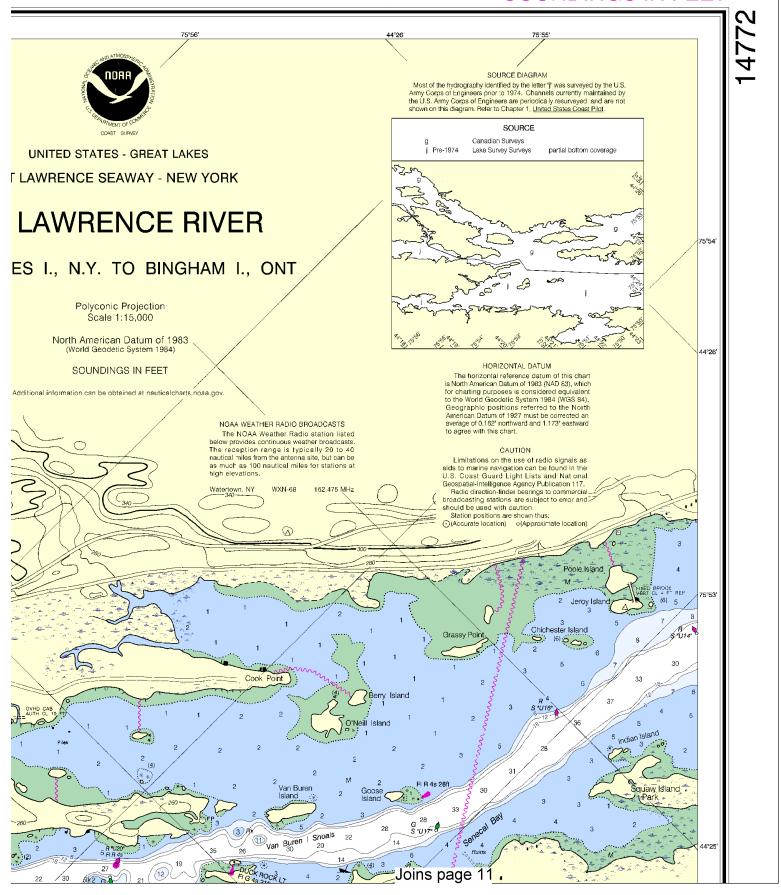






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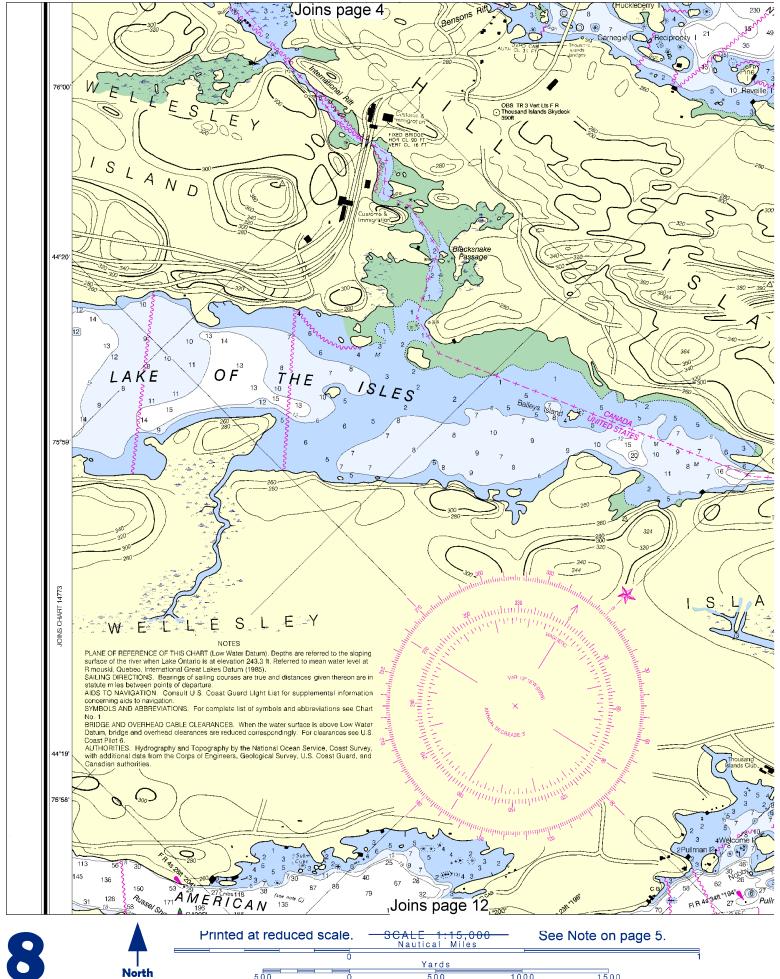


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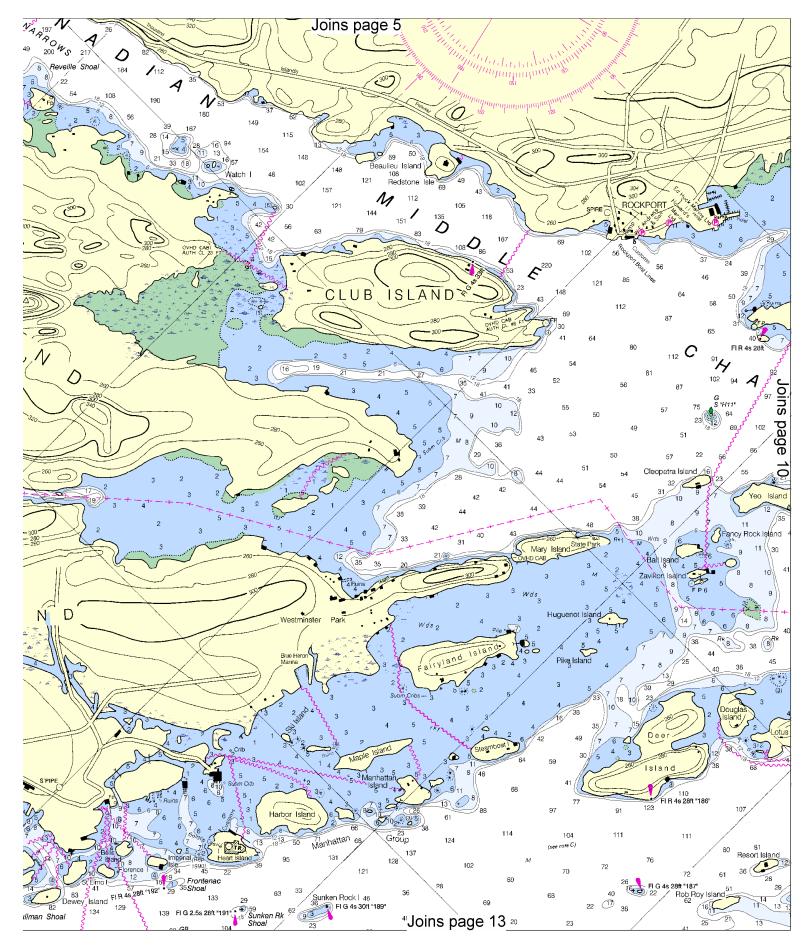
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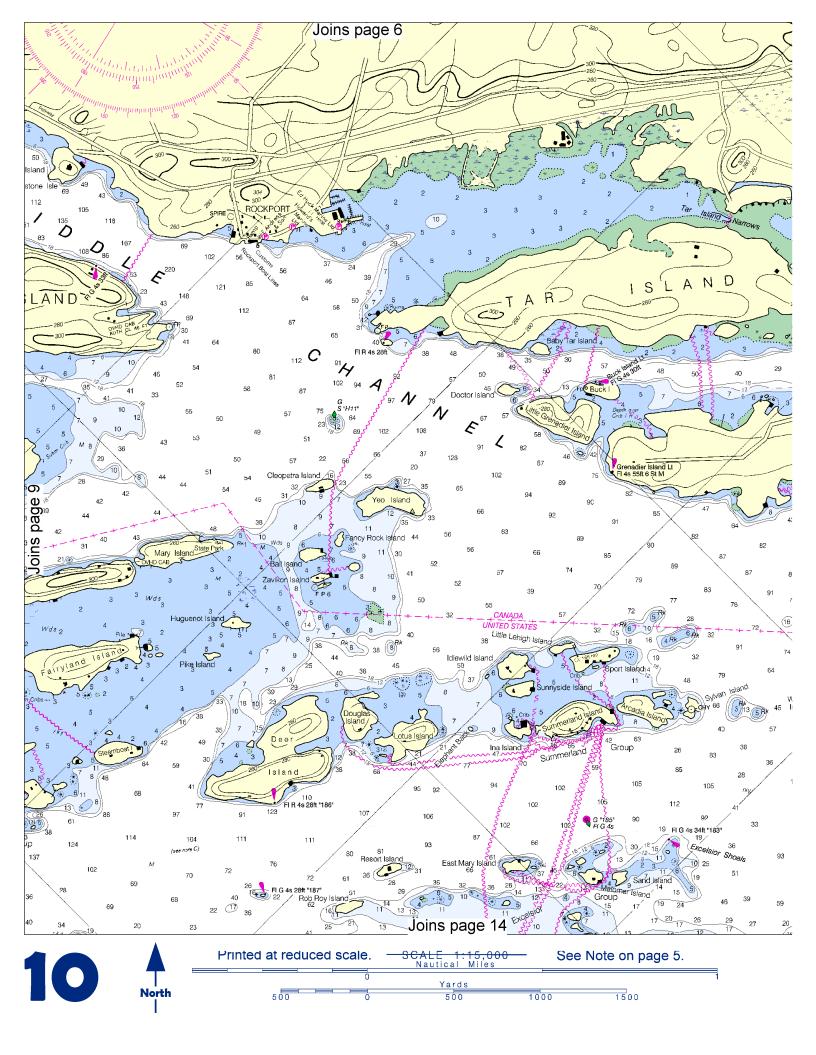


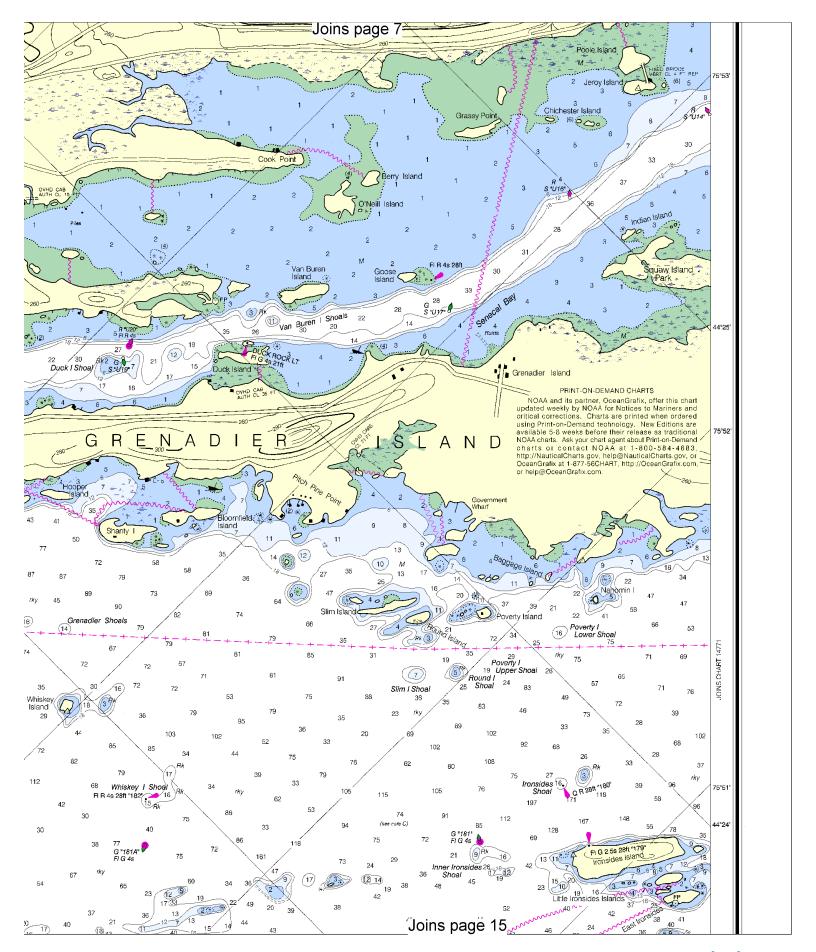


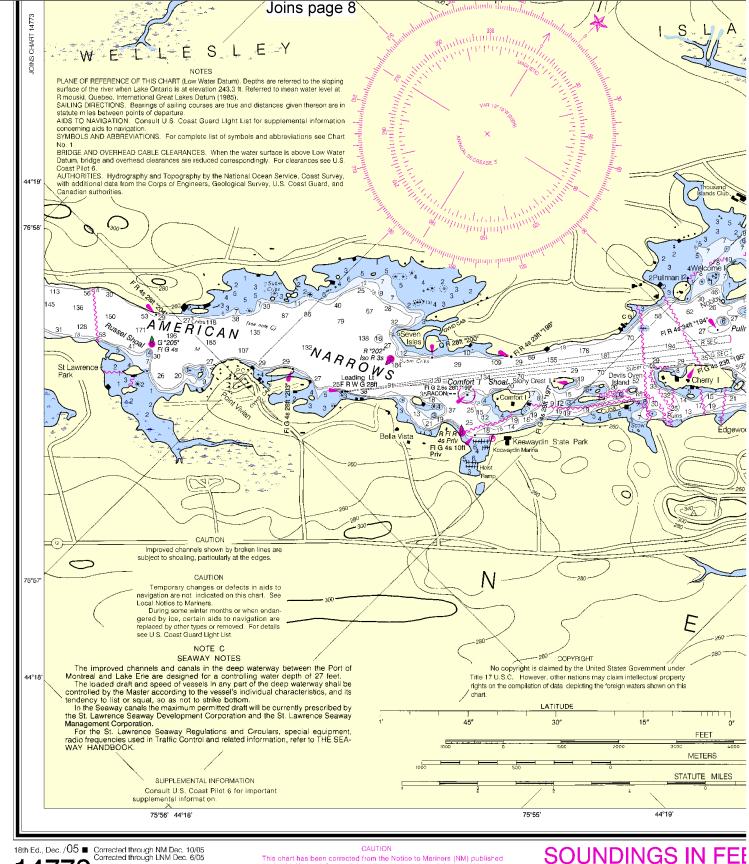












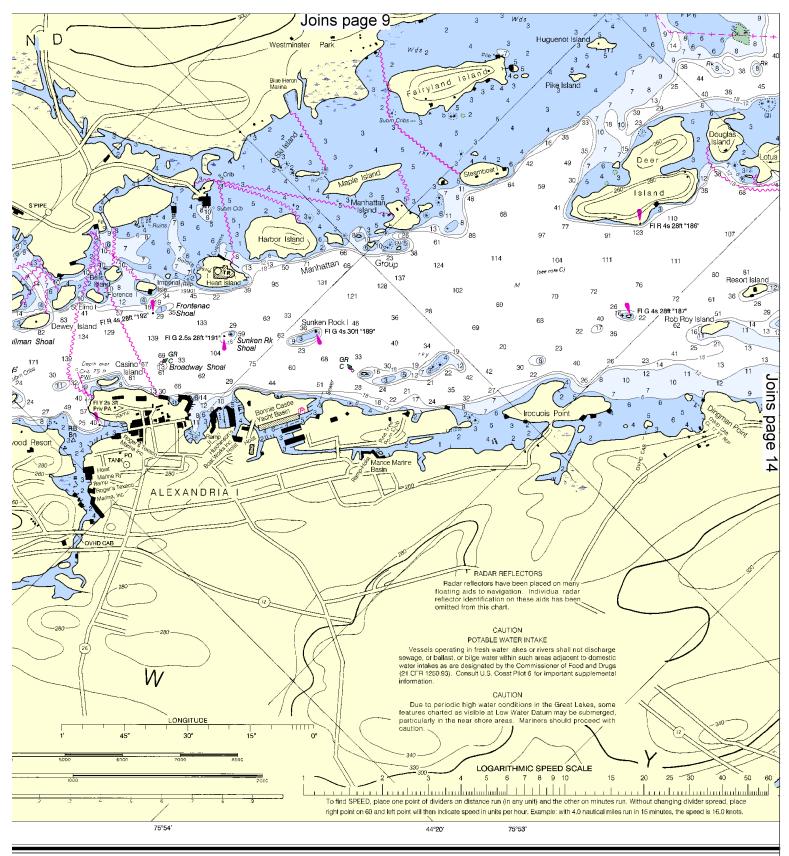
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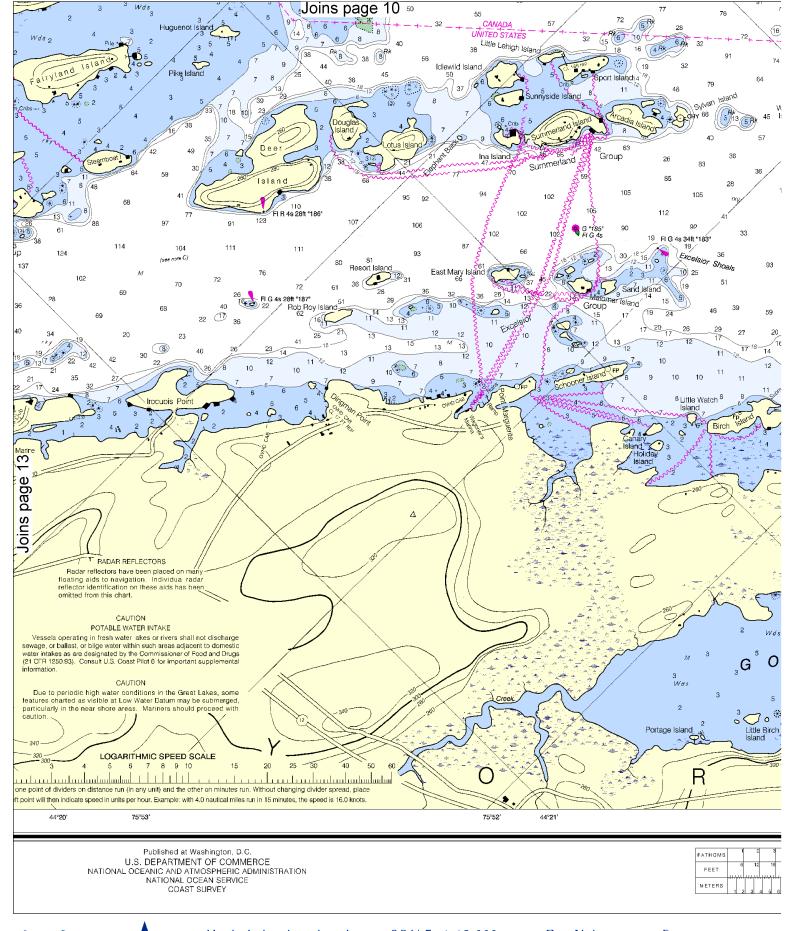




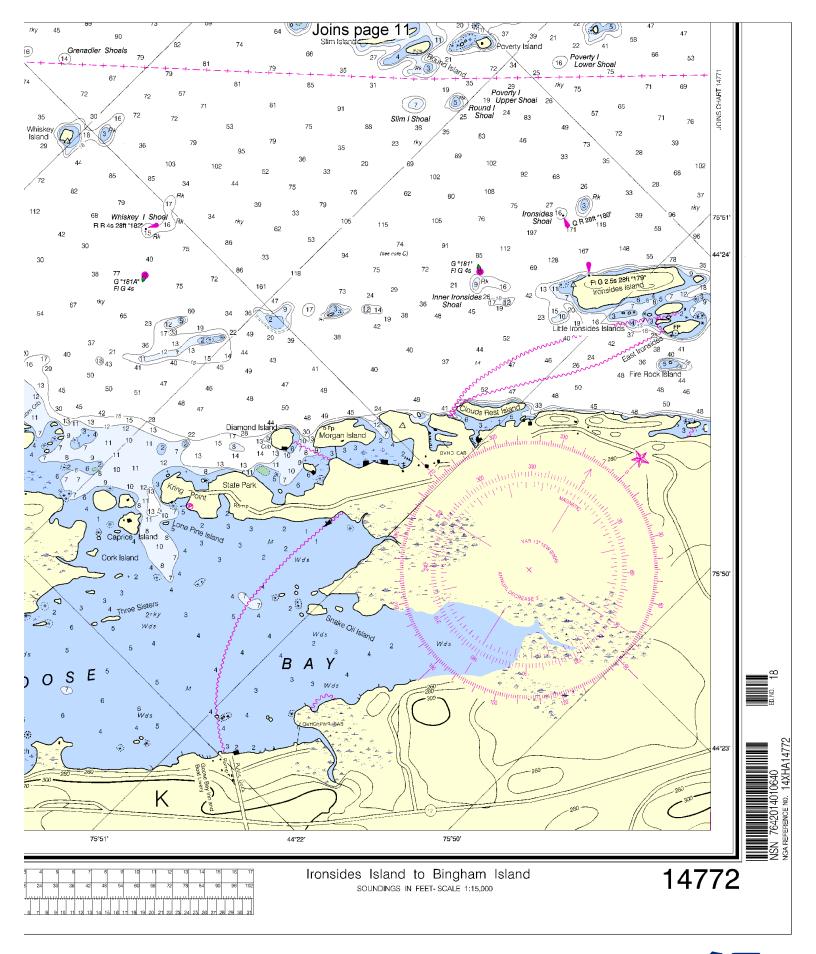
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EMERGENCY INFORMATION

VHF Marine Radio channels for use on the waterways:

Channel 6 – Inter-ship safety communications.

Channel 9 – Communications between boats and ship-to-coast.

Channel 13 – Navigation purposes at bridges, locks, and harbors.

Channel 16 – Emergency, distress and safety calls

to Coast Guard and others, and to initiate calls to other vessels. Contact the other vessel, agree to another channel, and then switch.

Channel 22A – Calls between the Coast Guard and the public. Severe weather warnings, hazards to navigation and safety warnings are broadcast here.

Channels 68, 69, 71, 72 & 78A – Recreational boat channels.

Distress Call Procedures

- 1. Make sure radio is on.
- 2. Select Channel 16.
- 3. Press/Hold the transmit button.
- 4. Clearly say: "MAYDAY, MAYDAY, MAYDAY."
- Also give: Vessel Name and/or Description; Position and/or Location; Nature of Emergency; Number of People on Board.
- 6. Release transmit button.
- Wait for 10 seconds If no response Repeat MAYDAY Call.

HAVE ALL PERSONS PUT ON LIFE JACKETS!!

Mobile Phones – Call 911 for water rescue.

Coast Guard Search & Rescue – 216-902-6117 Coast Guard Search & Rescue – 716-843-9527 Canadian Coast Guard (RCC Trenton) – 1-800-267-7270 or 613-965-3870

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